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GLENDALE WELCOMES NEW DEPUTY CITY MANAGER

GLENDALE, Ariz. -- After conducting a national search, the city of Glendale is pleased to announce that Stephen Cleveland has accepted the position of Deputy City Manager, overseeing planning, building safety and environmental resources.

With 35 years of diverse public sector experience, Cleveland brings a vast knowledge of departmental operations, functions and budgets and will assist the city in its evaluation of policies and programs that impact the departments that he oversees. A strong focus on enhancing partnerships and a dedication to customer service will benefit the Glendale community and continue the city's commitment to providing high quality services to its citizens.

Cleveland holds a Bachelor of Community Services and Public Affairs

degree from the University of Oregon and a Master of Public Administration

Degree from Arizona State University. He has extensive experience in the areas of
planning and community development. He has served as a City Manager,

Assistant City Manager, Operations Analyst and Planning Section Administrator.

Cleveland will officially begin his duties at the City on September 15, 2008.

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